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Battle for Kiev Begins as Russians Closing in on City

Vital Strongpoint of Kriev Falls to Victorious Red Armies

LONDON, Sept. 30 (P).—Soviet troops fought to clean up the eastern bulge of White Russia today in new advances that overwhelmed Kriev, 57 miles east of the Dnieper River crossing at Mogilev, while to the south a crescendo of guns and bombs announced the beginning of the battle for Kiev, Moscow said tonight.

The capture of Kriev was said to have given the Russians "important strategic and railway junction." To take the town where railroads to Mogilev and Orsha cross, the Soviets forced the South River.

But it was only one move in a widespread battle on a 50-mile front to clear the area between the Berez and Soch Rivers. The Soviet midnight bulletin, broadcast from Moscow and recorded by the Soviet monitor, said Red Army mobile detachments were ferreting out the German emplacements, taking "a considerable number of prisoners."

Much war material was captured and 2,000 Germans were reported killed in this area alone.

GERMAN GUNS RETURN FIRE

At Kiev Soviet forces installed in the cross-river eastern districts of the city, were less than 100 yards across a narrow part of the Dnieper from the cliffs of the ancient city. Here German guns answered the attack from emplacements in the ancient cells of monks.

While the fight for the greatest prize since Kharkov was shaping, the Soviet daily communiqué, recorded by the Soviet monitor, made no mention of Kiev.

It told of the capture of Kriev and more than 100 other populated places in advances up to 12 miles, while Soviet forces marched on toward Gomel and Vitebsk in the battle for White Russia.

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General Potts Goes to New Toronto Post

Other Changes in High Commands Announced

OTTAWA, Sept. 30 (P).—Changes in command of high army posts in Canada and Newfoundland—resulting from the previously announced disbandment of divisions in Canada and retirement of several senior officers—were announced tonight by Defence Headquarters.

The changes: Maj.-Gen. Arthur E. Potts, 52, former commander of the Sixth Division, appointed general officer commanding Military District No. 2 (Toronto), succeeding Maj.-Gen. C. F. Constantine, D.S.O., 60, retiring because of age.

Maj.-Gen. H. N. Gahong, 53, former commander Eighth Division, appointed general officer commanding the reorganized Sixth Division, D.S.O., 58, former commander of Canadian troops in Newfoundland, appointed director-general of the Reserve Army, succeeding Maj.-Gen. B. W. Browne, D.S.O., M.C., 60, retiring because of age.

Maj.-Gen. P. E. LeClerc, M.M., 50, former commander of the Seventh Division, appointed general officer commanding Canadian troops in Newfoundland, succeeding Brig. W. O. Colquhoun, M.C., 55, former commander of brigades on active service in Canada, appointed

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Ask \$6,000,000 For Road Link

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 30 (P).—The Pacific Northwest Trade Association agreed here today to demand a \$6,000,000 Congressional appropriation for an Alaskan highway cutoff from Prince George in Lower British Columbia.

Rep. Warren D. Magnuson (Dem. Wash.) was named to lead the fight for what association members said is both a military and a trade necessity. The British Columbia Parliament has appropriated \$6,000,000 for the 517-mile road. Both the United States and Canada will be asked to

The association also adopted a resolution asking that ships sailing from Pacific Northwest ports to South America be loaded with cargo instead of ballast.

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Retreating Germans Face Possible "Dunkermes"



"Dunkermes" evacuations may become bitter pills the Germans will be forced to swallow as they continue their retreat in the face of advancing Allied armies. On this map, small dark arrows show where the Nazis face such "Dunkermes" flights by sea. The present front of advancing Allied armies is shown by the heavy black line, while possible points of Allied invasion are indicated by the white arrows. Neutral countries are shaded on this map.

Special Emphasis on Air Crew in New Canadian Joint Recruiting Schedule

OTTAWA, Sept. 30 (P).—A co-operative recruiting programme for Canada's three armed services placing top emphasis on air crew, was announced tonight in a joint statement by the Defence Ministers, Defence Minister Ralston for the Army, Air Minister Pover and Navy Minister Macdonald.

Details of the navy's participation are still incomplete but main points of the plan disclosed tonight:

1. All men fit for air crew will have an opportunity to enlist in that capacity.

2. Those fit for overseas army service, but without specialist qualifications for air crew will be enlisted in the army.

3. Men fit for army overseas service or possessing specialist qualifications for air crew will not be allowed to enlist for air force ground crew.

4. An "equitable exchange" of men will be made between the army and air force at recruiting centres.

5. Men discharged from the army in the recently announced reorganization of home forces will be given opportunity to join the air force.

6. Transfers on a controlled and voluntary basis will be made between the army and air force overseas.

The announcement said that all men who are fit to serve overseas in the army but who do not possess specialist qualifications for air crew duties will be enlisted in the army, and that no man who is fit for overseas army service or who possesses the specialist qualifications for air crew will be permitted to enlist in the R.C.A.F. for ground duties.

Under the new plan, arrangements will be made for the equitable exchange of men between the army and air force at the recruiting centres. All general service overseas and National Resources Mobilization Act home defence recruits whose ages and abilities qualify them to serve overseas in the army will be referred to an R.C.A.F. recruiting officer stationed in the centre for interview as possible air crew.

MAY TRANSFER TO OTHER SERVICE

If an applicant wishes to exist in air crew and is acceptable, he will be taken over by the air force, but if he prefers army service he will be referred to the army for allocation to the branch for which he is fitted.

Army recruits found unsuitable for overseas service will also be referred to the R.C.A.F. recruiting officer, who will interview them as possible recruits for ground crew.

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BULLETINS

INCREASE RATIONS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 (P).—The Office of Price Administration tonight raised the gasoline ration of "A" card holders on the Atlantic seaboard of the United States from 1 1/2 gallons, and simultaneously cut the value of "B" and "C" coupons to 2 gallons everywhere East of the Rockies.

CONSCRIPT ITALIANS

AT THE SWISS-ITALIAN FRONTIER, Sept. 29 (P).—Speeding their programme to strip Italy of all manpower that might assist the Allies, the Germans today conscripted all men between 18 and 32 in the central Italian provinces for forced labour in Germany, according to reports reaching here.

Allied Tank Forces Pour Into Burning Naples; Beaten Nazi Troops Flee Toward North

Italian Radio Reports British Fleet Shelling Ravaged Port

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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SEPTEMBER 1943 in Southern Italy

LONDON, Sept. 30 (P).—British troops are in Pompeii and are pressing on towards Naples. The whole of the Sorrento Peninsula south of the Bay of Naples is now in Allied hands.

United States and British forces comprising the Fifth Army have reached the Neapolitan Plain with Mount Vesuvius the only height still in German possession.

Where the Nazis will make their next stand, says The Times' Algerian correspondent, can only be guessed at. The Eighth Army continues its rapid progress northwards along the Adriatic coast to points on the Gulf of Maddaloni. Enemy resistance has been weak. The capture of Castellammare on the Bay of Naples gives the Allies a major naval base which may be useful to British sea forces.

The Times military correspondent says the Germans were definitely beaten in the battle for the pass through the mountains to Naples. In the end they had to retreat, but to retire. Now it will be possible for the Allies to advance on both roads—towards the use of east and west highways.

Yet another magnificent victory has rewarded the Red Army's general-up. The Nazis have been broken out of Kremenchuk and Soviet forces are attempting to break across the Dnieper itself.

The Times' Stockholm correspondent says general von Maibach's great task is to prevent the outflow from the Crimea. He has heavy armoured units and formidable artillery, but even if he is able to check the Russian thrusts in the South he will still have to prevent a breakthrough across the Middle Dnieper. One day, northward of Kiev, are planned to affect the thrusts which prepared the previous week, the Nazis by the Priest Marquis, which stretch westward into Poland.

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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NORTH AFRICA, Sept. 30 (P).—Beaten German forces streamed north out of burning Naples tonight toward their next defence line in the hills just short of Rome, 135 miles away, as Allied tanks clanked into the outskirts of the great port from the south after skirting Mount Vesuvius.

A Berlin dispatch to Stockholm said the Germans had evacuated Naples and the Nazi-controlled Italian radio said a British fleet was shelling the ravaged city.

At last report, Allied armored columns had fought their way past the ruins of ancient Pompeii to reach Torre Annunziata, arms and iron centre, nine miles south of Naples and within clear view of their goal.

While the first great step in the conquest of Italy waiting completion in the capture of a superb deep-water port, it was announced that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allied commander-in-chief met yesterday with Marshal Pietro Badoglio to discuss the future use of Italy's army and navy against the Nazis.

The German-controlled Vichy radio said Thursday night that Naples no longer is inside the German defence line in Southern Italy. The German line now runs north of the city.

ENEMY FLEEING FAR TO NORTH

The fall of Naples was near. The five German divisions bulwarking the Nazi defence were seen fleeing into the city and then streaming to the north and northeast in orderly retreat.

The unknown advance of the Anglo-American Fifth Army followed beyond Mercato San Severino, 22 miles north of Naples.

September operations made it clear that Allied air fleets are moving from groundwork attacks to a phase of intensive operations primarily aimed at the final big big-brother drive against Germany.

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MONTREAL, Sept. 30.—An announcement from Washington that approval had been granted for the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Postal Telegraph, Inc., to merge, brought this joint announcement today from W. M. Armstrong, general manager, Canadian National Telegraphs, and W. D. Neil, general manager, Canadian Pacific Communications.

"It is well known that Western Union has been the exclusive connection of Canadian National Telegraphs and Postal Telegraph, Inc. The exclusive connection of Canadian National Communications for the interchange of telegraph business within each other's control. The merging of the two American telegraph systems has made it necessary to modify to some extent existing contractual obligations of the respective companies.

"The two Canadian companies have entered into an understanding with the consolidated company, which will continue to be known as the Western Union Telegraph Company. This understanding will permit both companies to exchange telegraphic traffic of all classes with the United States.

"Messages destined to the United States will, therefore, continue to be accepted at offices of Canadian Pacific as well as Canadian National Telegraphs."

Pacific Front

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ing in the Finckhshafen area, said Allied ground forces "are pressing on to the outskirts of the town from the north, west and south."

Troops threatening the village from behind encountered a pocket just outside the town and took a strategic point by assault in close fighting.

The Japanese counter-attacks came the night of September 27 and morning of September 28 from the direction of Salsberg to the northwest of Finckhshafen. The Australians stood their ground against all three assaults and the Japanese fell back.

Thursday's communiqué had told of destruction of a huge munitions depot at Wewak by American bombers which defied forty enemy interceptors and concentrated anti-aircraft fire to blast the enemy base, far northwest of Finckhshafen, for the second time this week.

Liberal Plan

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with the United Nations should receive undivided attention of the Government, the programme said. But it urged that postwar preparations should begin at once and that every effort be made to assure servicemen and women full employment, care and financial assistance toward rehabilitation.

Removal of unfair discrepancies in wages and cost-of-living bonuses, removal of trade barriers, and measures to widen foreign and domestic markets were among the policies proposed.

Encouragement of private enterprise as well as public enterprise and the fostering of a full partnership among the Government, industry, agriculture and labor were among the points set forth.

National housing and health schemes, encouragement of research and scientific education, and national planning for development were other points.

In summary, the 15 points are:

1. Undivided support of the war effort in co-operation with the United Nations, coupled with active preparations to meet post-war problems; maintenance of necessary restrictions to prevent inflation and support the war effort with constant scrutiny to find and remove restrictions no longer essential.
2. Maintenance of the closest association with the Empire, continued friendship with the United States, encouragement of friendly relations with other Western Hemisphere countries and international cooperation in furtherance of the objects laid down in the Atlantic Charter.
3. Extension of existing arrangements for handling ex-servicemen and women, including compulsory re-employment, service preference in new employment, rehabilitation grants, vocational training and a high pension scale.
4. Encouragement of a partnership among the Government, industry, labor and agriculture, with en-

One Way to Sell a House

TULSA, Okla., Sept. 30 (AP)—Bert Whitworth, real estate agent, advertised a house for sale with the usual flowery description. He got no results. He replaced his ad with this one: "Eight tiny rooms, ratty decorations, leaky basement, muddy street, no bus, no furnace—\$5,000." He immediately got calls from ten prospective customers, and sold the house.

couragement to both private and public enterprise to provide full employment, social security and a rising standard of living for all.

5. Government assistance in reconstruction for civilian production of private enterprise now occupied on war work, coupled with the institution of housing and other projects.

6. Reduction of tariffs, co-operation with the provinces, encouragement of co-operative enterprises, a widening of foreign and domestic markets and guarantee of minimum prices to encourage and stabilize agriculture and fishing.

7. Encouragement of labor-management councils; representation for labor on wartime boards and other Government agencies; promotion of compulsory collective bargaining; removal of unfair discrepancies in wages and cost-of-living bonuses; and guarantee of social insurance for the non-preventable unemployed.

8. Co-operation with other nations in the removal of trade barriers and extension of trading relations; establishment of trade missions and commercial intelligence services; and extension of the application of standards of quality and markings to identify Canadian products.

9. Establishment of a national development board with authority and staff to initiate Dominion plans and examine proposals by the provinces and municipalities for post-war public works, to encourage scientific research, and to insure that Canada takes her proper place in postwar aviation developments.

10. Promotion of housing projects and health measures by establishment of a large national programme of housing as materials become available; maintenance of food production and expansion of the nutrition programme.

11. Extension of existing social security measures to include insurance against privations resulting from unemployment, accident, ill health, old age and blindness; establishment of a contributory scheme of contributory superannuation for all Canadians; and consideration of a comprehensive plan of family allowances.

12. Use of the nation's financial resources to bring postwar prosperity as they have been used to prosecute the war, providing that when taxes can be reduced the first consideration should be given to relaxing the exemptions for income tax which, with the tariff and other taxation legislation, should be simplified.

13. Efforts to work out with the provinces a mutually satisfactory rearrangement of financial and constitutional relationships, having sole regard for the welfare of the people as a whole.

14. Constant examination of machinery of government to improve the methods of electing representatives, controlling expenditures and controlling Government agencies.

15. Recognition that the foundation of unity of Canada is the partnership of the French and English-speaking groups and maintenance of the respect for minority rights.

Air Raids

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and has a population of more than 300,000. The steel works there include branches of the Krupp combine.

September's operations included an unprecedented eight-day non-stop round-the-clock cross-Channel bombing offensive in conjunction with land and sea exercises which were nothing short of a shooting rehearsal of the air forces' part in eventual invasion.

In nine major raids the R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. lost 188 bombers, an average of about 21 per raid.

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Prairie Horses

For After War

CALGARY, Sept. 30 (CP)—Eighty-five thousand head of Alberta's total horse population of 627,900 will be available for the restocking of Europe with livestock when the call is sent out by the inter-allied post-war requirements committee, it was announced today by Hardy E. Salter, of Calgary, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Percheron Association.

Mr. Salter recently completed a survey of the situation in Canada as it affects horses and a complete report is being forwarded to the international committee by the Canadian Percheron Association on the basis of the report compiled by Mr. Salter.

The committee had estimated that 11,000,000 head of cattle, 12,000,000 pigs, 11,000,000 sheep and 3,000,000 horses would be required to restock Europe, which had been depleted of livestock as a result of the ravages of war and famine.

Reminders—Vaccinate Chrysanthemum Show today, all Saturday, Crystal Garden.

Two Accuse Each Other

EDMONTON, Sept. 30 (CP)—Testifying in his own defence, Sam Baptiste Desjarlais said today his cousin, George Desjarlais, shot and killed Karl Nikolai Hemmingsen, northern trapper, beside the Monday River, about 199 miles northeast of Edmonton, last November. "George Desjarlais shot him twice and when his dog howl I shot the dog," the 18-year-old Cree Indian said.

George, 22, testified Wednesday that Sam shot and killed Hemmingsen with a 30-calibre rifle owned by Sam's father. George, also charged with the murder, will stand trial at conclusion of Sam's.

Sam told the court he and his cousin went to Monday River for some hunting and met Hemmingsen. "George said he was going to shoot him and he would have money and won't have to trap for time. I try stop him. He say he shoot me after we get meal, then started to go off and George shoot him. Man about four paces. George shoot twice and kill him with rifle. White man's dog howling and George asked me why I no help him. I shoot dog with 22. George dragged person away. I dragged dog about three paces."

The modern town of Pompei, which rose from the ruins of the city obliterated by Vesuvius' most violent eruption in 79 A.D., and Mercato San Severino fell yesterday.

The Allied communiqué covered action to 6 p.m. Wednesday and fresh gains ranged from one to five miles near the Gulf of Naples.

Allied casualties were heavy. Incomplete figures, excluding most of the violent action leading to the bursting of the final mountain barrier south of Naples, showed 8,708 British and American troops killed, wounded or missing.

British divisions of the Fifth Army suffered 5,211 casualties between September 9-20 and the Americans through September 15 of the same period lost 3,497 men. The high proportion of casualties, considering the number of troops involved, gave an indication of the fierceness of mountain fighting by the infantry which preceded the armored surge into and beyond Pompei.

REPORTS FROM STOCKHOLM

The German communiqué reported from Stockholm said "Harbor installations have been thoroughly destroyed to prevent enemy landings. Severe measures have been taken against Communist riots. The enemy in general followed up our movements with rather weak forces. British tank forces pressing strongly south of Vesuvius were halted." The Berlin dispatch to Stockholm said that "Communist revolt and extensive sabotage partly forced the evacuation of Naples, and added that the 'rebels' were assisting the Fifth Army south of Naples.

The Foglia plain, which extends north of Foglia, was declared almost entirely under Allied domination.

The fall of Naples will complement the earlier seizure of Foglia, 80 miles to the northeast. The harbor of Naples is large enough to accommodate a tremendous marshalling of Allied might, just as the 13 Foglia airfields will base the predominant air forces. Naples' harbor has been wrecked extensively, and upwards of thirty ships have been scuttled to block its docks. Allied experience in North Africa and Sicily, however, showed that harbors cannot be permanently sabotaged.

Bright, windy weather prevailed instead of heavy rains, allowing medium bombers to destroy bridges, roads and junctions within 45 miles of Naples, to the north, northeast and east.

British and Canadian Wellingtons last night pounded the railroad and highways near Formia, 43 miles northwest of Naples. Bright flashes indicated the destruction of electric rail lines.

One Allied plane was lost in all operations.

An official summary said medium bombers had achieved these results in attacks on enemy retreat lines beyond Naples.

The Anagnino Bridge on the major route line 27 miles northeast of Naples was put out of commission by direct hit. An important rail bridge south of Cancello on the Naples line was severed in several places. Other bridges around Cancello and Piano were attacked and several were immobilized. The approaches to a bottleneck bridge at Castelnuovo on the Naples-Benevento road were

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VICTORIA W.I.
Victoria Women's Institute meeting was held in the institute rooms, 635 Peel Street, with the president, Mrs. C. Johns, in the chair. Delegates to the South Vancouver Island District W.I. Conference, which closed, Mrs. W. Peddie, official delegate and Mrs. E. S. Blair, institute delegate with Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Jones as alternates. The district conference will be held in the institute rooms on October 17 and 18. It was decided to support Dr. J. B. Hanson, convenor of the 1944 convention of the Council of Women, in her appeal for a physiotherapy ward here, and that there be a separate institution. Mrs. Blair gave a report of the institute drama group. A bazaar was planned for November. The regular Friday social meeting of members and friends will be held in the institute rooms this afternoon with Mrs. R. C. Chisholm, Mrs. A. W. Mark, Mrs. F. W. Bridge and Mrs. W. Peddie as hostesses.

Maitland Shocked at News of Death of Col. Nelson Spencer

Just Returned From Visit to Victoria

PRINCE GEORGE, Sept. 30 (C.P.).—Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, paying tribute to Col. Nelson Spencer, who died in Vancouver today, said:

"I feel more keenly than I can put in words the shock at hearing

of the death of Nelson Spencer. Every British Columbian will mourn his death. He was a Christian gentleman, a great soldier and a fine public servant whose record will be always remembered and honored wherever he was known throughout Canada."

VANCOUVER, Sept. 30 (C.P.).—Col. Nelson Spencer, D.S.O., 66, former Conservative Member of the British

Columbia and Alberta Legislatures, and one-time Mayor of Medicine Hat, Alta., died in hospital here today.

Born near Moncton, N.B., Colonel Spencer lived most of his life in the West. For many years he lived in Medicine Hat, where he was mayor in 1912 and 1913.

Colonel Spencer was elected to the Alberta Legislature for Medicine Hat in 1913 and re-elected in 1917. In 1928 he was elected from Vancouver as a member to the British Columbia Legislature.

During the first Great War he went overseas in command of the 175th Battalion, which he had recruited and organized in 1915. He won the D.S.O. in France in connection with the storming and taking of the city of Iwuy in October, 1918. Besides his widow, two sons and two daughters survive.

Colonel Spencer was head of one of the largest lumber and log export firms on the Pacific Coast. He built up a large business after coming to British Columbia in 1926, first in timber and logging and more recently as the operator of lumber mills.

Since the start of the war he has been one of the largest independent shippers of lumber to the United Kingdom. Some years ago he built up a considerable lumber-shipping business to the Orient.

A week ago today he welcomed home on leave his son, Pte. Laurence Nelson Spencer, of the Royal Canadian Air Force. His son had completed 30 operational flights over Europe. Another son, Sgt. Navigator Alan Spencer, is overseas with the R.C.A.F.

Colonel Spencer had just returned from a visit to Victoria when he became ill.

Community Chest Drive for Funds Gains Momentum

Rolling along in higher gear, Greater Victoria's Community Chest-Salvation Army campaign for \$85,000 gained momentum Thursday on the strength of higher returns from the special names division and greater collections by the residential canvassers.

The special names group added \$4,850 to its previous total during the day to reach a cumulative figure of \$15,101, which was slightly better than one-third of the division's \$45,000 objective.

With pay day falling due in several major industries, the residential division intensified its activities and was beginning to show returns for its efforts as the ladies continued their canvass of different districts.

As workers carried the appeal to the individual, officials repeated their general call on the public to support the drive to ensure the Chest funds adequate to support the agencies which benefit. The problems of wartime living necessities extended work by the 21 member groups and they in turn must have the funds if the home front services are to be maintained.

A breakdown of the \$18,311.15 total collected to date, showed contributions other than those received by the special names division, as follows: Business, \$12,399.10; Industrial, \$2,750.50; residential, \$1,811.55; hotels, \$102.

Donations above \$25 were acknowledged as follows: John B. Kay, \$50; Dr. Thomas McPherson, \$100; J. H. Todd & Sons, \$1,500; Walter Walker & Sons, Ltd., \$100; James Richardson & Sons, \$50; Anonymous, \$25; David Spencer, Ltd., \$3,000; Gordon Ellis, Ltd., \$25; A. S. Pitts, \$25; Ship Chandlers (McQuade), \$25; Victoria Baggage, \$30; Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Murphy, \$50; Anonymous, \$50; Mr. George Carter, \$25; Miss M. A. Newcombe, \$25; Mrs. H. H. Rowley, \$25; Mrs. J. W. Spencer, \$200.

Goes to New Post

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to command the training brigade in Atlantic Command.

The changes are effective immediately.

Disbandment of the Seventh and Eighth Divisions and partial disbandment of the Sixth Division was announced recently by Defence Minister Ralston in a reorganization of the Canadian Army in Canada. At that time Colonel Ralston also disclosed the department's intention to establish a new training brigade in the Atlantic Command.

The maximum age for officers serving in Canada has been established at 70, accounting for the retirement of General Constantine and General Browne.

General Potts, who takes over the command of Military District No. 2, is an Englishman who, after receiving a degree in science from the University of Edinburgh, attended Cornell University at Ithaca, N.Y., where he took his master's degree in agriculture and then went to Ames College in Iowa as an instructor. Enlisting with the 2nd McGill University Company in 1915, he was one of six brothers who served in the First Great War. Three of them lost their lives. He was posted to the Princess Patricia's Light Infantry as a private and received his commission later that year after being wounded. He served continuously in the line throughout the war.

Returning to Canada he became head of the dairy department of the University of Saskatchewan at Saskatoon, organized the Officers' Training Corps there, and became officer commanding the 19th Infantry Brigade with the rank of colonel.

At the outbreak of the present war he reverted to lieutenant-colonel to command a Saskatchewan regiment, which he took overseas in 1939. He was promoted to brigadier and given command of an infantry brigade in 1940 and the following year commanded the Canadian raid on Spitzbergen.

APPOINTED TO COMMAND SIXTH

In May, 1942, he was appointed to command the 6th Division, serving on coastal defence in Canada, and was promoted to major-general.

General Gannon is a member of a St. Stephen, N.B., family and started his military career by joining the York Regiment as a private in 1909. He was commissioned in 1915 when he enlisted in the Canadian Expeditionary Force and served as an officer with the 8th Canadian Rifles.

Gen. Browne is another Permanent Force officer. Born at Hayesville, Ont., he went to Vancouver as a young man and entered the real estate business. At the outbreak of the First Great War he was a lieutenant in the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders and went overseas in October, 1914, serving throughout the war without a wound or day's illness.

He was mentioned in dispatches on three occasions and was awarded both the Military Cross and Distinguished Service Order. On his return he acted as a liaison officer at Kingston, Ont.; Victoria, Toronto and Montreal, and at the outbreak of the present war was district officer commanding at Winnipeg.

W.A. TO JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Junior W.A. to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will hold a meeting on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

DIVIDEND DECLARED

Coast Breweries Limited 3 cents a share, payable November 1 to shareholders of record October 9.

Time and money well spent at Flower Show, today, all Saturday, Crystal Garden.

Ten of Family Gone to War

FORT DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 30 (A.P.).—A tenth member of the L. M. Van Coutren family has gone to war. She is Pte. Helen P. Van Coutren, who is just starting her Women's Army Corps basic training. Two of her sisters also are in the army and six brothers are in the navy.

Saanich Boy Hurt

The seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Percival J. Starkey, 278 Cadell Avenue, was painfully, but not dangerously, injured about the face shortly after 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon when the boy allegedly darted into the side of a truck driven by Clifford C. R. Hill, Wilkinson Road, Saanich.

Removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Gordon Kenning, the boy was found to have suffered a number of facial lacerations and the loss of several teeth, according to the Saanich police report.

MONTEREY P.T.A.

Mrs. W. Bell reported at a meeting of the Monterey P.T.A. held Thursday night at the school auditorium that 39 parcels of cigarettes had been sent to boys overseas. Mrs. H. S. Jones announced the Monterey group will conduct a grocery contest at the P.T.A. Fair on October 8. The study group will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Evans, 837 Victoria Avenue, at 7:30 p.m. October 18. Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, radio convenor, reported that the P.T.A. programmes will begin on October 11 and will be held on succeeding Mondays at 7:15 p.m. Miss Helen Sinclair gave recitations, and Miss Muriel and Miss Vivian Trimble sang a duet, accompanied by Mrs. W. R. Gunn.

Dr. H. Anderson Tells P.T.A. of Co-Education

"Is co-education the answer to the question of educating our young boys and girls?" This question was answered by Dr. Henrietta Anderson, Ph.D., Provincial Normal School, Thursday night as she spoke of "Education in This World of War," addressing the Monterey P.T.A. Dr. Anderson was introduced by Mrs. H. L. Harper, president of the association.

"The Russian theory today is that girls and boys should not be schooled together. Girls should be taught to think as a separate section and are to be taught that homemaking is not an effeminate character. Boys also should be schooled with the idea that they, too, must contribute their share in homemaking. In this way if the children are kept separate for a portion of the education they will then become accustomed to the idea that each has his or her part to play in the building of their future home. This method is not to be confused in that undoubtedly the boys and girls should be together in games in their off-school hours." Today too much is left to the mothers to manage, the speaker contended.

Dr. Anderson pointed out that better health must be brought about by education, and not by law-making. In order to equip the men and women with the power to use their spare time to advantage, public craft guilds should be set up.

INCREASE HOME INDUSTRY

Canada's resources are plentiful and instead of sending these raw materials outside the Dominion, people should manufacture this material into products to ship to the countries which will demand them during the aftermath.

Dr. Anderson gave as her answer to the question: What has the P.T.A. body done up to the

Ratepayers Would Quit Ward System

Meeting last night in St. Mark's Hall, Saanich Ratepayers' Association voted unanimously in favor of the abolition of the ward system, and numerous signatures were added to the petition now in circulation for that purpose.

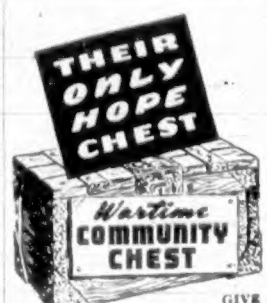
Councillor George Rudd opposed the resolution, stating that he viewed with alarm the abolition movement. The municipality, he said, should hold together as at present, lest the outer wards be left without representation, to which he added that he will stand for re-election on a policy of opposition to abolition. He explained, however, that he favored some reorganization of existing ward boundaries, but was opposed to abolishing the wards entirely.

Councillor Ken Richmond upheld abolition of the wards, saying that the present system of "having seven foremen and seven workmen was all a bunch of nonsense, for which the present setup was responsible."

Mrs. Francine Paterson, Saanich school trustee, spoke principally of the cost of education, but expressed herself as favoring abolition.

One member of the audience asked if it were not a fact that the deputy minister of education once visited the Saanich Council and recommended abolition of the wards. If this were so, the questioner asked, why had nothing come of that recommendation?

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A Savage Revenge

For the most part in this war the Nazis have kept their outright barbarities as much as possible out of sight of the free world. The machine-gunning of women and children on the roads of Belgium and France brought its own reaction. The Gestapo and the Elite Guards took their brutalities out of sight for a time. Poland, in the heart of a vast continent, became the slaughter-house of Europe. Trials and "executions" both went underground. In Naples, however, the world is looking at the naked truth, inhuman savagery without defence or possible excuse.

Well-grounded reports from Italian refugees who escaped from within the German lines at Naples have told the story. They said the Nazis tried to rule by terror and by destruction. Women and children were machine-gunned in the streets. Men were shot in the presence of their families. Aged people were forced to labor in the ditches, under threats and blows. Some few refugees who escaped by small boats from the shoreline at Naples had hand-grenades tossed into their boats. Other unarmed craft were fired on by machine gun and rifle fire. No mark of revenge was withheld by a brutal and impassioned foe.

That tells us something about the enemy. His desperation is mounting. Blocked from his purpose, he descends to vengeance, and a weak and inhuman vengeance at that. It is 1,000 years perhaps since non-combatants have been fired on in any war, and never with such inhuman and senseless brutality, with such sheer lust for human blood. That, more than anything else, is what must be eradicated from the human family before peace can be other than a name. That is what the United Nations mean when they speak of punishment, and for abundant cause.

Human Relations

A rental court closed its doors in a British Columbia city the other day, its functions taken over by the new rentals section of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. In spite of a great deal of human understanding and patience on the bench, human relations won. Probably they always will, and no court could ever be up to them, as Mr. Pickwick found in the celebrated cause wherein he was the defendant.

The truth is that no state of law can reconcile human natures that are incompatible. The best of landlords must ever regard the best of tenants with some suspicion, and vice versa. Under pressure of emergent times, the abiding reasonableness in humanity ebbs, and its place is too often taken by a great unreasonableness in little affairs. That, too, is human, but it is beyond the cure of any court, no matter how discerning.

One wonders how the rentals section of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board will now fare in the same extremely human circumstances. Will it be able to adjust "bath night" to the mutual satisfaction of all who may be concerned? Or will it do what the street car conductor did when faced by two irate passengers and an open window, both passengers declaring they would die if the window were left open, or conversely shut. The conductor was a man of action, and chose the indicated remedy—but neither of the complainants died. At all events there will be peace now in certain august premises, the law having made a retreat in good order before that insoluble of all insolubles, human nature.

Bible in Schools

The British Columbia School Trustees' Association has taken a highly commendable stand in asking that the Bible be restored to British Columbia schools, where it was in pioneer days and from which it should not have been removed. The association, by a determined vote, will petition the Department of Education to have a study of the Bible and Christian principles made part of the public school curriculum of this Province, as it is in several other Provinces and might well be in all of them.

Wise it has been left to the Department of Education, which has charge of the curriculum, to devise a formula under which this can be effected upon a mutually acceptable basis, so that good may result for all and offence given to none. What the association is saying is that Christian principles, and the Book that has been their living repository for two milleniums, should not be ignored in any educational system that aims to serve this, a Christian land.

If nothing more than a teaching of reverence for the Bible in coming generations should result, that much good will be accomplished. It can be submitted, however, that the benefit will be much wider than that. The Bible is one of the oldest libraries extant, rich in human wisdom. Entirely apart from its ethical teachings, it is the chronicle of dim ages past and history that is not accessible in any other form. Beyond that, the Bible, in its King James version, is at the summit of all literature written in the Anglo-Saxon tongue.

and likely will remain so for milleniums to come.

The resolution endorsed by the trustees and now to be transmitted to the British Columbia Department of Education reads as follows: "That the Minister of Education be urged to include in the daily work of schools some specific instruction in Christian principles from study of the Bible, and an opening and closing exercise wherein God and dependence on Him is acknowledged."

With Reservations

Reports emanating from neutral countries to the effect that German crews have sabotaged the capital ships Tirpitz, Scharnhorst and Luetzow at Alten Fjord, Norway, will be accepted with considerable reservation until such time as the United Nations have some proof as to the facts. To begin with, neutral countries have been the sounding boards for much enemy propaganda, particularly Sweden, through which Germany has maintained an uncaring flow of Nazi press releases ever since the start of the war.

There is little doubt that in response to increasing fears of direct invasion Germany has recalled at least part of her submarine fleets to home waters. At the same time German naval units were gradually worked off the French coast and out of the Baltic to havens much farther removed from Allied guns. Each week has brought a new disposition of some of these forces, and some of them have undoubtedly gone into Norwegian hide-outs.

On the other hand it would strain human credulity to believe that the Nazis at this stage have begun to sabotage their own strength in any form. They, as well as we, know that the hardest battles have yet to come; and that in those battles it will be a fight to the finish. German arms may suffer from numerous defects after four years' strain in the war, but self-destruction short of outright necessity is not apt to be one of them. The Tirpitz, Scharnhorst and Luetzow have been in action several times in the war, and proved elusive on each occasion. It seems inevitable that they will be heard of again when the final chapter comes to be written. Stockholm to the contrary notwithstanding. Nor would the Royal Navy ask for any better opportunity.

Now on Record

A public man is bound by his words. In view of the importance of the subject, there are many who will mark the words used by Mr. Mackenzie King in his recent address to the Liberal Party, when the Prime Minister put on record this:

"All I can honestly say is that it may not be necessary to hold a general election before the hour at which we may look forward to welcoming back to their homeland those of that great company of sons and daughters of Canada who have survived the ordeal of battle in different theatres of the war. . . . Were I to announce tonight that I had asked for an immediate dissolution of Parliament to decide the question of confidence in the administration, there would be throughout Canada not rejoicing but consternation."

The woodpecker is a realist. With it every knock is a boost. If it looks under a fold of bark it is for due cause. In the Spring, it excavates a tidy nest, but only in a softened tree. Even then it will hide the chips just in case predatory eyes were watching. Mostly, it says nothing—and saws wood.

The Germans say they are evacuating Naples, according to plan, and we would not be surprised if Rome, Milan, Turin and the Brenner Pass came next and in about that order.

A Prayer for the World's Peace

"He maketh wars to cease unto the end of the earth: He breaketh the bow, and cutteth the spear in sunder: He burneth the chariot in the fire."—Psalms xlii, 9.

Grant in this day of fate our voice may reach Thee:

God of our Fathers! Let our prayer be heard!

Torn are our hearts and souls in tribulation; Upon our lips one word: O Great Jehovah!

Upon our lips one word: O Great Jehovah! Lord of all Life! Who maketh wars to cease.

In this dark hour most humbly we beseech Thee:

In mercy, send us Peace!

In mercy send us Peace! Hear our petition! Stretch out Thine Arm upon a world at strife!

Give to us, Lord—and to our children's children—Peace and a purer life.

Peace and a purer life: Vouchsafe us vision. Vision and dreams to be our guiding light:

Grant that the sons of men, attaining wisdom, Shall worship Right, not Might; O Father, hear us!

Quicken the souls of men that they may see

The world from pain set free!

The world from pain set free! Life's consummation!

The world at peace! No longer Mammon's slave!

At last shall see in triumph vindicated The power of Love to save!

—Louisa E. Shrapnel Keith.

(The above lines, written 12 months ago, are reprinted by special request.)

Progress of the human world is only made possible by work.—Nicholas Murray Butler.

Observation Car

By G.B.

In the court of Superior Judge Robert M. Jones at Seattle a man who pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery said he was ready to enter the army and fight for his country. "The eleventh hour and fifty-ninth minute is too late," His Honor commented in imposing sentence.

Lieut.-Gen. Delos C. Emmons, Western Defence Command, recently stated at San Francisco: "It is disturbing to learn that a number of essential civilian defence workers are resigning, perhaps in the belief that the need for their services no longer exists. Military successes abroad must not be permitted to create an undesirable let-down at home. It is essential to be properly prepared. As the military situation improves, civilian defence organizations should be readjusted to meet changing needs, but it should be done by the proper authorities in accord with a plan, rather than by individual action."

Not long ago the magazine Fortune conducted a poll of presidents of 100 of the largest banks in the United States. The consensus of opinion was that the European war would be over in the Autumn of 1944, and the Japanese would be vanquished from six months to three years from that date. The diamond industry in South Africa, huge new markets have been found in India and Egypt. Wage increases of 25 per cent have been granted to diamond cutters in Johannesburg, and 130 apprentices are to be engaged. In Philadelphia a man with a blackjack was arrested by police. When the prisoner was haled into court the magistrate asked him for an explanation. "I was carrying it for killing rabbits," the accused answered. He was fined \$10 for carrying concealed weapons.

The Civil Aeronautics Administration at Washington, D.C., has predicted that a new type of airplane will be developed to handle short air routes for passengers, mail and freight. Used tractor and farm implement tires may now be obtained in the United States without permits. The rubber controller this hopes to have more farm machinery utilized for food production. An English soldier training at Camp Davis, North Carolina, was handed corn on the cob for the first time, and asked a sergeant how to eat it. He was told to use both hands and eat it like playing a harmonica. "Thank you, but what is a harmonica?" he asked.

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim-out period will commence at 7:24 tonight and continue until 6:43 Saturday morning.

OCTOBER			
Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Daylight
1	6:11:34	5:10:10	1:01:24
2	6:12:32	5:09:12	1:03:20
3	6:13:30	5:08:14	1:05:16
4	6:14:28	5:07:16	1:07:12
5	6:15:26	5:06:18	1:09:08
6	6:16:24	5:05:20	1:11:04
7	6:17:22	5:04:22	1:13:00
8	6:18:20	5:03:24	1:14:56
9	6:19:18	5:02:26	1:16:52
10	6:20:16	5:01:28	1:18:48
11	6:21:14	5:00:30	1:20:44
12	6:22:12	4:59:32	1:22:40
13	6:23:10	4:58:34	1:24:36
14	6:24:08	4:57:36	1:26:32
15	6:25:06	4:56:38	1:28:28
16	6:26:04	4:55:40	1:30:24
17	6:27:02	4:54:42	1:32:20
18	6:28:00	4:53:44	1:34:16
19	6:28:58	4:52:46	1:36:12
20	6:29:56	4:51:48	1:38:08
21	6:30:54	4:50:50	1:40:04
22	6:31:52	4:49:52	1:42:00
23	6:32:50	4:48:54	1:43:56
24	6:33:48	4:47:56	1:45:52
25	6:34:46	4:46:58	1:47:48
26	6:35:44	4:45:60	1:49:44
27	6:36:42	4:44:22	1:51:40
28	6:37:40	4:43:24	1:53:36
29	6:38:38	4:42:26	1:55:32
30	6:39:36	4:41:28	1:57:28
31	6:40:34	4:40:30	1:59:24

Meteorological Office, Dominion of Wales, Victoria, B.C.

Tides at Victoria

Time of tide (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of October, 1943.

Date	High Tide	Low Tide	High Tide	Low Tide
1	3:50	9:34	5:01	10:32
2	4:46	11:02	5:56	11:34
3	5:41	12:24	6:51	12:36
4	6:36	1:46	7:46	1:38
5	7:31	3:08	8:41	2:40
6	8:26	4:30	9:36	3:42
7	9:21	5:52	10:31	4:44
8	10:16	7:14	11:26	5:46
9	11:11	8:36	12:21	6:48
10	12:06	9:58	1:16	7:50
11	1:01	11:20	2:11	8:52
12	1:56	12:42	3:06	9:54
13	2:51	1:44	4:01	10:56
14	3:46	2:46	4:56	11:58
15	4:41	3:48	5:51	13:00
16	5:36	4:50	6:46	14:02
17	6:31	5:52	7:41	15:04
18	7:26	6:54	8:36	16:06
19	8:21	7:56	9:31	17:08
20	9:16	8:58	10:26	18:10
21	10:11	10:00	11:21	19:12
22	11:06	11:02	12:16	20:14
23	12:01	12:04	1:11	21:16
24	1:06	1:06	2:06	22:18
25	2:01	2:03	3:01	23:20
26	2:56	2:55	3:56	24:22
27	3:51	3:57	4:51	25:24
28	4:46	4:59	5:46	26:26
29	5:41	6:01	6:41	27:28
30	6:36	7:03	7:36	28:30
31	7:31	8:05	8:31	29:32

The time and tide in Pacific Standard for the month of October, 1943, is given in the table. The figures for high tide are in the left column, and the figures for low tide are in the right column. The figures for high tide are in the left column, and the figures for low tide are in the right column. The figures for high tide are in the left column, and the figures for low tide are in the right column.

TO TORONTO, Sept. 30.—Ontario Department of Health officials here said a quarantine has been placed on pupils attending the Bishop Strachan School for Girls in suburban Forest Hill village as a result of a day pupil contracting infantile paralysis.

Here is a new definition of the Londoner—a man who hopes for the best and prepares for the worst.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of October 1, 1918.

Penetrate Hindenburg Line—British forces have captured sections of Hindenburg line in spite of stiff enemy resistance. They have advanced well beyond the Canal System north of St. Quentin.

English, American and Australian troops joined in the great assault, the Germans tenaciously endeavoring to hold their lines.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of October 1, 1893.

King's Regiment—A Halifax dispatch announced that the Eighth (King's) Regiment now stationed there will be removed to Victoria in the Spring, and that hereafter an Imperial regiment will be permanently stationed at Victoria.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of October 1, 1868.

The War in the Crimea—General Sir J. Burgoyne, in a lengthy communication in a late number of The London Evening Mail, takes strong and labored grounds to prove at this late date that "the Crimean War was a perfect success."

English and foreign people take an opposite view.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except upon the proper literature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 50 words in length.

CANADA, TOO

Sir,—One might say that Mr. King, of the Victoria Real Estate Board, was right in trying to remind us that Victoria is not so much a bit of old England, but a bit of Canada, when he said make it a place for young men to get a job, one would suppose that he meant that there are many young people who would like to settle here, but can only do so if they work for a living, as it is too nice a city for the rich only to enjoy.

Why should English residents worry if Victoria is not always referred to as a little bit of England? It would appear that someone advertised it that way many years ago and like all slogans it has now gone a bit out of date. This is 1943. Victoria is a Canadian city, perhaps with a slight English flavor. This is a free country and if the young Canadians want to vote into this city they will, that's part of the freedom they are fighting for. To retain its charm a city needs busy young people as well as retired people. Here's hoping that Victoria will always remain a bit of Canada.

MRS. A. BRAZIL,
129 Menzies Street, Victoria, B.C.,
September 30, 1943.

SAANICH WARDS

As was expected the recent launching of the Saanich rural area secession movement has created alarm and dismay amongst those who do not relish the probability of one or more high-producing cows leaving the Saanich barn. This barn is at present arranged that the feed manger is in the rural areas.

Many people in all parts of Saanich are fully aware that when the barn is rearranged by secession it will be necessary for the inner wards to provide all the feed to produce the results which they want, which in common fairness is as it should be.

The immediate objective of the rural ratepayers of Saanich, whether they are farmers or simply residents in the rural areas, is to take such steps, without delay, which will give them protection from the present diversion of substantial amounts of their present municipal tax payments to the urban areas of the Saanich municipality. The present condition has every indication of getting considerably worse in the very near future. The first and immediate move is for all rural ratepayers to apply all their energies and spare funds to obtain the first specific objective, namely secession from the Saanich municipality.

Having achieved that first objective giving protection we can then, as in a military campaign, make further advances. Amongst these further advances, according to these wishes of the rural ratepayers, will be the pressing for tax changes, particularly in regard to school taxes, which will relieve the rural ratepayers and the urban ratepayers alike, of the burden of taxes on land and improvements.

To date the rural areas of Saanich have received a most precarious and partial protection under the ward system but this slender protection might easily be swept away by a change of councillors at the next municipal election. This slender protection would certainly be swept away if the ward system were altered or abolished.

SYDNEY PICKLES,
President, Ward 6, Saanich Ratepayers' Association, September 29, 1943.

Montgomery Asks

Reporters When War To End and Is Told

AT GENERAL MONTGOMERY'S HEADQUARTERS IN ITALY, Sept. 26 (Delayed).—Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery isn't venturing a guess when the war will be over.

"I expect you correspondents to tell me things like that," the general said today, and thereupon asked, "When?"

A correspondent speculated that the war in Europe would end in the Spring.

"But when in the Spring?" the general asked.

"March,"

"When in March?"

"March 15,"

"Hm," said Montgomery. "Hm, March 15."

But his cool grey eyes offered neither confirmation nor denial.

Coupons Valid Today

Tea or Coffee—Nos. 1 to 17.

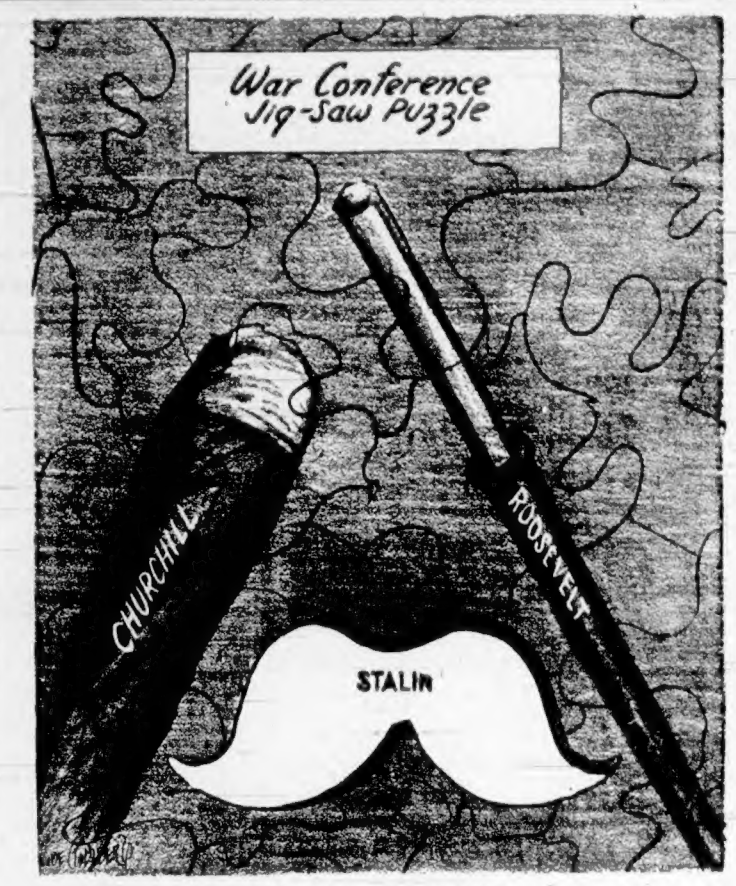
Sugar—Nos. 1 to 16.

Preserves—Nos. 1 to 15.

Butter—Nos. 28 to 31 (expiry date October 31).

Meat—Nos. 17 to 19.

Here is a new definition of the Londoner—a man who hopes for the best and prepares for the worst.



ONLY ONE PIECE MISSING

Canada's Honor Roll

R.C.A.F.

OTTAWA, Sept. 30 (CP).—The R.C.A.F. in its 69th casualty list of the war containing 29 names today reported 16 men missing on active service after overseas air operations, and five killed on active service in Canada.

The overseas section of the list also contained the names of five men previously missing on active service and now reported prisoners of war of Germany; one previously reported missing on active service and now reported prisoner of war of Japan; and one previously reported missing on active service and now for official purposes presumed dead.

One man previously reported missing and believed drowned on active service in Canada was listed as now for official purposes presumed dead.

Following is the list:

OVERSEAS

Missing on active service after air operations: Sgt. Stanley William Abrams, Cornwall, Ont.; P.O. John Bruce Bowden, Verdun, Que.; P.O. Manley Bynell Brechin, Coldwater, Ont.; Sgt. Robert Charles Brooks, Decker, Man.; Sgt. James Herbert Brown, Ottawa; P.O. James Murdoch Clark, Peterborough, Ont.; Flt. Sgt. Desmond Michael De Silva, D.F.M., Georgetown, Demerara, British Guiana; Sgt. Henry Gordon Hahn, Hanover, Ont.; Sgt. Gordon Rudolph Harrison, Brooklyn, N.S.; Sgt. Banks Earle Mitchell, D.F.M., Winnipeg; Flt. Sgt. Franklin Walter Mulvey, Winnipeg; Sgt. Clifford Robinson, Michel, B.C.; P.O. Russell Clare Scott, Brandon, Man.; Sgt. Charles William Snyder, Dauphin, Man.; Sgt. Lloyd Martin Stormer, Toronto; Sgt. William Allan Tennant, Edmonton.

Previously missing on active service, now reported prisoner of war (Germany): P.O. Barney Paul Allen, Kamloops, B.C.; Flt. Lt. David James Corcoran, Toronto; Sgt. Walter Eugene Greensides, Regina; P.O. Darrell Emmerson Larlee, Saint John, N.B.; Sgt. Joseph Theophilus Jean Jacques Minguy, Gros Pin, Que.

Previously reported missing on active service, now reported prisoner of war (Japan): Sgt. Lloyd Ernest Krue, White Rock, B.C.

Previously reported missing on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead: Sgt. Roy Oswald Fulton, Newton, B.C.

FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRES

STARTS TODAY

HOT-HEADED KILLER VS. COLD-BLOODED KILLER!

GEORGE RAFT

Rougher and tougher than ever!

FIGHTS THE FAT MAN

SYDNEY GREENSTREET

You can trust him as far as you can throw him!

The G-Man Get After the Gestapo!

IN

PETER LORRE • BRENDA MARSHALL

"Background to Danger"

PETER LORRE • BRENDA MARSHALL

"Vaudeville Days"

A Comedy Animal Novelty

"Trifles That Win Wars"

John Noddy in Posing Parade

CANADIAN NEWS

DOMINION

LAST TWO DAYS, TODAY AND SAT.

AT 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30

Humphrey BOGART

Action in the

NORTH ATLANTIC

CAPITOL

TODAY AND SATURDAY at 2:44, 6:07, 9:30

STAR-GLITTERING FUN-BOARDED!

DON AMECHE

JACK OAKIE

SOMETHING TO SHOUT ABOUT

WITH JANET BLAIR

ATLAS

PLUS GINGER ROGERS RONALD COLMAN

"Lucky Partners"

COMFORTABLY COOL Always

AT BOTH THEATRES

OAK BAY PLAZA

TODAY

Feature at 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30

White Savage

TECHNICOLOR

MARIA MONTEZ • SABU

JON HALL

"ALL BY MYSELF"

WITH ROSEMARY LANE

Added British News

Special in Style! C.W.A.C.'s Birthdays

Hair: Coiffure! ... Calling Canada

TODAY! YORK

ROMANCE OF ENGLAND TODAY!

GRACIE FIELDS

"WE'RE GOING TO BE RICH"

WITH VICTOR MCKLAIN • BRIAN DONOVAN

Extra! MUSICAL SHORT! "Copoblanca Revue"

TODAY AND SATURDAY

Bob Hope—Brenda Joyce—Brenda Joyce

"THEY GOT ME COVERED"

ROB HOPE • DOROTHY LAMOUR

PLUS—HIGHWAYS WEST—BRENDA MARSHALL—ARTHUR KENNEDY

EVENINGS at 6:30 and 8:30—MAT SAT at 2 P.M. (Not Continuous)

VICTORIA LITTLE THEATRE AND DRAMATIC SCHOOL

Presents the Three-Act Play

"Nine Till Six"

Two Years on Broadway

Victoria Little Theatre

Langham Place, Rockland Avenue

October 1, 2 and 4

Curtain at 8:15 Sharp

Tickets: Matinee Library, \$1.00

JAN AND MISCHEP

CHERNIAVSKY

EMPRESS HOTEL BALLROOM—TONIGHT

Tickets on Sale at Victoria's

RIO

TODAY AND SAT.

THE ANDREWS SISTERS

"Give Out Sisters"

PLUS TOM KEENE IN

"WESTERN MAIL"

EXTRA—PERILS OF SYDNEY

GRAND OPENING

DANCE TONIGHT

DICK BENZ

Victoria's Cave Supper Club

Entertainment

Berno Porter's Orchestra

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

AUDITORIUM

What Was It?

by FITZ-JAMES O'BRIEN

CIVI

TONIGHT, 10 O'CLOCK

At the Theatres

Murder, Espionage Romance Will Be Seen at Dominion

Starring George Raft and Sydney Greenstreet, the picture's strong supporting cast is headed by Peter Lorre, accomplished player of spine-tling roles; Brenda Marshall and Osa Massen, pretty Danish actress.

Local of this exciting story is Turkey, a focal point of international intrigue and counter-espionage.

Full-Length Play "Nine to Six" to Be Given Tonight

"Nine Till Six," Victoria's first full-length play with an all-woman cast, will be presented tonight and will be repeated Saturday and Monday evenings, the performance to take place at the Little Theatre, Langham Place, Rockland Avenue. The Victoria Little Theatre and Dramatic School have been fortunate in obtaining the technical advice and practical help of Victor Mott, well-known fashion designer of this city. From his studio have come the beautiful fashion designs used on the set, also one of the striking evening gowns worn by a mannequin in the second act. The play, which is the story of the clash and contrast of personalities against the background of a fashionable dressmaking salon, will be performed by a cast of 16, some of whom have many fine roles to their credit, as well as one or two newcomers of decided promise. A particularly smart set has been designed by Mr. Stewart Clark.

ATLAS Don Ameche, Janet Blair and Jack Oakie are starred in Columbia's spectacular new musical, "Something to Shout About," which is now at the Atlas Theatre, introducing something new in the way of sparkling comedy, captivating singing and inspired dancing. According to report, the film is one of the season's outstanding extravaganzas.

CADET Said to be the comedy hit of the year, Samuel Goldwyn's starring vehicle for Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour, "They Got Me Covered," which is now showing at the Cadet Theatre, revolves about the side-splitting efforts of a discredited American foreign correspondent to redeem himself by exposing an enemy spy ring in the nation's capital.

CAPITOL "Action in the North Atlantic," Warner Bros. spectacular picture of the men of the United States Merchant Marine and the convey of war cargoes to the fighting fronts, starring Humphrey Bogart, is now showing at the Capitol Theatre. Directed by Lloyd Bacon, "Action in the North Atlantic" has already been hailed by maritime officials as "the most honest war picture ever made."

OAK BAY AND PLAZA Maria Montez, Jon Hall and Sabu, the sensational stars of "Arabian Nights," are married in Universal's "White Savage," now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. The Technicolor production, an action-filled romantic adventure movie, has Turhan Bay, Sidney Toller and Thomas Gomez in featured roles.

RIO "Give Out, Sisters," in which the Andrews Sisters appear with Dan Dailey, Jr. Grace McDonald, Charles Butterworth, Walter Catlett and others, is now showing at the Rio Theatre. The movie is described as a romantic comedy tune-film. The Andrews Sisters present four songs in the picture, which was made under the associate production of Bernard W. Burton.

YORK M-G-M's "Journey for Margaret" now at the York Theatre is a film based on the experiences of W. L. White, an American war correspondent in London during the air blitz. Robert Young and Laraine Day head the cast. In the film, Young rescues a small boy from a bombed house. Later he adopts the boy and also a little girl. How he restores their bomb-shattered nerves and brings them to America forms an absorbing story.

OGDEN'S PLAYHOUSE

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THE WEIRD CIRCLE SERIES

What Was It?

by FITZ-JAMES O'BRIEN

CIVI

TONIGHT, 10 O'CLOCK

Amusements

On the Screen Atlas—"Something to Shout About," starring Don Ameche, Janet Blair and Jack Oakie.

Cadet—"They Got Me Covered," featuring Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour.

Capitol—Humphrey Bogart and Raymond Massey in "Action in the North Atlantic."

Dominion—George Raft, Brenda Marshall and Peter Lorre in "Background to Danger."

Oak Bay and Plaza—"White Savage," with Jon Hall, Maria Montez and Sabu.

Rio—"The Andrews Sisters in 'Give Out, Sisters.'"

York—"Journey for Margaret," with Robert Young and Laraine Day.

Famous Brothers

Perform Tonight

At the Empress

"Long and favorably recognized for their rare executive and musical qualities, Jan and Mischel Cherniavsky, celebrated Russian artists, made a welcome reappearance in a highly enjoyable recital in the Lyric Theatre before an enthusiastic audience." The Vancouver Province reported a few days ago in connection with the recent appearance of the Russian brothers before a Vancouver audience. The famous brothers will give a concert at the Empress Hotel ballroom this evening at 8:30, and will include in their programme nearly all the numbers which made up their memorable recital in Vancouver last week. Of their first number, the Brahms sonata for piano and cello, opus 99, P. Major, with which they also opened their Vancouver programme, "R. J." commented: "The artists at once revealed excellent co-ordination, symmetry and balance of tone, this being especially evident in the slow movement with the pizzicato effects of the cello providing a splendid contrast to the full harmony of the piano. The lively concluding movement was given with the necessary lightness of touch and accent in both instruments."

Messroom Chatter of Canada's Airmen

By ALAN RANDAL Canadian Press Staff Writer WITH THE R.C.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Sept. 30 (CP)—Flight leader in a Mitchell bomber squadron is P. L. J. R. MacDonald, 25-year-old pilot of Edmonton, Mac used to be a professional golfer with the Highland Golf Club and has completed more than 15 operational sorties against airfields and rail targets in France.

Sometimes you can see his outfit roaring out from their English base in the early morning before breakfast, headed for occupational territory. In his formation are P.O. Fred Carmichael, 31-year-old navigator of Sudbury, Ont.; P.O. J. C. Day, 33-year-old navigator, from Galt, Ont.; and P. Sgt. T. F. Rothery, 24-year-old navigator, of Vancouver.

Lieut. Doug Smith, public relations officer at Canadian Army Headquarters in England, left a notebook with his picture inside at a friend's home and thereby hangs a tale, because a few days later P. Sgts. Hugh Blair of Quebec, and J. R. (Hank) Ramsden, of Dauphin, Man., visited the friend and found the picture. "That's Smithy," said Blair. "What's he doing over here?" commented Ramsden. A telephone call to Smith brought forth: "I thought you guys were in Africa." A reunion was arranged for the next week-end.

Smith, a Newfoundland who used to work on Ottawa and Calgary newspapers and Blair and Ramsden trained together as air

Marine and Transportation

Neither Nazi Plot Nor Storm-Lashed Seas Could Stop Great Liner's Work

Queen Mary, Shorn of Peacetime Elegance, Carries Troops to All Parts of the World

LONDON, Sept. 30 (CP)—Shorn of her peacetime elegance, the great liner Queen Mary sailed for Britain in 1942, carrying Allied troops to battlefronts over the world. It was disclosed today.

In one encounter with a fierce North Atlantic storm she almost capsized with thousands of Britain-bound United States soldiers. Around the Cape of Good Hope to Suez she piled the 12,000-mile route from Britain with reinforcements during the most critical hour of the campaign in the Western Desert. An achievement which perhaps proved decisive in the Battle of Egypt.

Across the Atlantic to New York she went many times on timetable schedule. Her grey bulk was a familiar sight on New York's waterfront, on the other side of the North American Continent she was seen, too, at a certain Canadian West Coast port.

Before the United States entered the war, the Queen Mary moved about the Pacific, shuttling Australian troops to Singapore. FOILED GREAT GERMAN PLOT

The role played by the great grey liner was revealed after publication of a report telling how a German plot to sink her with 10,000 United States troops aboard was foiled with discovery of a German radio transmitter at Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Early in the Summer of 1942 the Queen Mary played an important part in saving Britain's desperate position at El Alamein. The Daily Mail's naval correspondent wrote: "Once she steamed through a pack of submarines estimated to number about 25," he added, "and not one had time to get a torpedo trained on her."

gunners. They became separated in 1940 in England, and Smith returned to Canada and a job with army public relations, after leaving the air force on health grounds. He came overseas again last Spring.

In the meantime, Blair and Ramsden, with a dozen or so operational flights from England under their belts—and Blair with a German night fighter to his credit—moved to Egypt to help bomb the Germans and Italians out of Africa. They returned to Britain early in the year and at present are gunnery instructors at a training centre.

One R.A.F. medium bomber squadron now based in Sicily and busy hammering Italian targets includes a good smattering of Canadians.

Among them are P.O. James Macdonald, of Winnipeg and formerly of Toronto; P.O. Peter Macdonnell, of Toronto; P.O. Ronald Stringer, of Deyrood, Wilkes, Sask.; Sgt. Don Ashby, of Lethbridge, Alta.; A. J. C. Mower, of Port Dalhousie, Ont.; P. Sgt. Jack Riddell, of Port Arthur, Ont.; and Sgt. William Nelson, of Port Arthur. All are veterans of the African campaign.

Crash Kills Two

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Sept. 30 (CP)—Two Australian pilots from No. 6 Service Flying Training School, R.C.A.F., Dunnville, Ont., were killed at noon today when their Harvard training plane crashed three-quarters of a mile from Campden, near Grimsby. R.C.A.F. officials announced.

Next of kin have been notified and names of the pilots will be announced shortly. NEW YORK, Sept. 30 (CP)—The Swedish News Agency said today it had received word of the death in Ekilstuna, Sweden, yesterday, of Carl Edward Johansson, 79, inventor of the Johansson precision gauge, widely used in the manufacture of automobiles and similar equipment.

Beat Nazi Plot and Stormy Seas



Part of the Story of the War-time Role of the Great British Liner Queen Mary Was Disclosed Yesterday Above. The Vessel Is Shown at the End of Her Maiden Voyage as a Prewar Passenger Ship, on Her Way to Southampton. Passing Above Her Is One of What Then Was the New Airspeed Envoy Series II Transport Monoplanes.

Suspend Pilot In Erg Crash

Norelg Officials Are Blamed by Court

OTTAWA, Sept. 30 (CP)—Sinking of the tugboat Erg in Halifax Harbor last July 6 with loss of 19 lives was caused by "the omissions of duty, negligence and want of care and caution and poor seamanship" on the part of those charged with the responsibility of the conduct of the Norwegian ship Norelg, it was stated in the report of the formal court of investigation made public in summary today by Transport Minister Michaud.

As a result the minister has ordered the suspension for a period of six months of the licence of the Canadian pilot aboard the Norelg, and a copy of the report of the formal investigation has been officially referred to the Norwegian authorities for appropriate action, said Mr. Michaud's statement.

ERG OFFICIALS NOT BLAMED

The report of the court of investigation, headed by Judge John A. Barry, of Saint John, N.B., found that the captain and officers aboard the Erg "did not in any way cause or contribute to the accident," said the statement.

The court did report, however, that "the Erg had many more persons on board than she had a right to have under the regulations governing her, but that fact was not the proximate cause of a contributing cause to the collision."

Mr. Michaud's statement said: "The Erg was only licensed to carry a crew of three as well as eight passengers, a total of 11; whereas 24 persons were on board at the time of the collision. The Department of Transport is investigating this reported breach of regulations."

Most of the 24 persons aboard the Erg were workmen from Halifax and Dartmouth, N.S., being taken out to another ship anchored in mid-stream.

Capt. Robert A. Goudy, of Yarmouth, N.S., and Capt. Roland Forbes, of Barrington, N.S., were assessors at the investigation.

NO PROPER LOOKOUT AT ROW

In his conclusions, Judge Barry reported that while the pilot, captain and others were on the bridge of the Norelg, the construction of their ship was such as to cause a blind spot in their view of the water ahead. They had "no proper lookout at the bow," and hence hit the Erg on the port side well aft of amidships.

"The fault of no proper lookout on the part of the Norelg, having regard to all conditions, was sufficient to account for the disaster," he said.

Mr. Michaud's statement said evidence at the investigation showed the Erg was overtaken by the freighter and that after the collision it remained afloat for not more than six minutes. "Everything possible was done by those on board the Norelg to save life after the collision occurred," said the department.

GERMAN GUNS IN B.C.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 30 (CP)—Discovery of two German machine guns, relics of the First Great War, on a Vancouver boulevard is puzzling city police. The battered, rusted instruments of war have been taken to police headquarters.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER—As Princess Charlotte or St. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1:30 p.m. for Vancouver. As Princess Charlotte or St. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 3:45 p.m. from Vancouver. As Princess Charlotte or St. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 4:30 p.m. for Seattle. As Princess Charlotte or St. Princess Alice will arrive at Seattle daily at 6:45 p.m. from Victoria. As Princess Charlotte or St. Princess Alice will leave Seattle daily at 8:45 a.m. for Victoria. As Princess Charlotte or St. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 4:45 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—As St. Prince will leave Swartz Bay for Salt Spring Island daily except Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. As St. Prince will leave Salt Spring Island for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. As St. Prince will leave Swartz Bay for Victoria daily except Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. As St. Prince will leave Victoria for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—As Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m. Thursdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. As Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6:30 p.m. Mondays. As Princess Mary will leave Victoria for Seattle daily except Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. for Seattle.

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To Lead Battle For Road Link

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 30 (CP)—Rep. Warren G. Magnuson (Dem., Wash.) was designated today by the Pacific Northwest Trade Association to lead a congressional appropriations battle for \$5,000,000 as the United States' share in the proposed construction of a Western Alaska highway cut-off.

The association adopted a resolution naming Magnuson to arrange Western delegation meetings in support of attempts to obtain Federal funds for the 517-mile route from Prince George to lower port in British Columbia. The resolution was offered by Foster L. McGovern, of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, who said Magnuson is "solid" on the project.

Meetings which Magnuson will conduct will decide the course of the appropriations drive which association members admitted had lost much of its impetus since the fall of Kiska.

Mainstream of the highway campaign had been immediate military necessity, but this has been unwound by American-Canadian success in driving the Japanese from the Aleutians.

The British Columbia Legislature has appropriated \$5,000,000 for the project, estimated to cost around \$48,000,000, delegates were informed. The United States and Canadian Governments will be asked to match this appropriation.

DIE IN PLANE

NEW DELHI, Sept. 30 (CP)—Twenty persons, including United States Army officers and soldiers, were killed when a United States transport plane crashed last Tuesday near Calcutta, according to reports received here.

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SPENCER'S 70th Anniversary

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The very existence, and more certainly the continued growth of an institution such as this depends upon its interpretation of that simple but all-important word "Service."

And as we pause for a moment on this, our Seventieth Anniversary, our greatest pleasure is not in contemplating the past, but in preparing ourselves for the future—for those happier days ahead when we hope by even greater, deeper, fuller, stronger efforts, to become an even worthier part of the City.

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The funeral of the late Conrade David Robert Burdell, P.P.C.I., will take place Saturday afternoon, October 2nd, 1943, from the chapel of St. Mary's, 1001 Commercial Street, at 2 o'clock. Members of the B.C. Legion, B.C. Veterans, and the B.C. Ex-Servicemen's Association are requested to attend.

W. C. HODGSON, President.
A. H. ADAMS, Secretary.

Broadcast Features Chamber President

An international radio programme originating in Portland, Ore., on Thursday, featuring discussion of the Alaska Highway and its future, gave considerable time to J. V. Johnson, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, now visiting in Portland. He is accompanied by George I. Warren, managing secretary of the chamber. The programme was heard in Canada over the C.B.C. network, and in the

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The funeral of the late Conrade George Victor Lunn, 1st C.S.D., and R.C.N. (R.N.), will take place Friday afternoon, October 1st, at 3 o'clock, from the chapel of St. Mary's, 1001 Commercial Street, at 2 o'clock. Members of the B.C. Legion, B.C. Veterans, and the B.C. Ex-Servicemen's Association are requested to attend.

W. C. HODGSON, President.
A. H. ADAMS, Secretary.

Sugar Beet Harvest Expected to Be Big

WINNIPEG, Sept. 30 (CP).—D. M. McLean, director of provincial farm help service, said here that more than 2,000 persons will be employed in harvesting this year's Manitoba sugar beet harvest. Approximately 1,000 growers in the province with 14,000 acres are expected to harvest between 120,000 and 125,000 tons of beets this year.

NOTICE!

VICTORIA CITY TAXPAYERS

In order to avoid 1% penalty, 1943 taxes must be paid by October 1. October 2, penalty will be added.

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Assessment of City Higher

A yet taxable assessment roll of \$48,060,977 for 1944 was revealed on Thursday by George A. Okell, city assessor and collector. Land for actual purposes of taxation is valued at \$18,661,917, and improvements, \$29,398,160. Last year's assessment roll was \$47,322,865.

The gross assessment on land is \$25,163,588, with exemptions of \$6,501,871.

Improvements are assessed at \$43,201,460, with exemptions of \$13,803,300.

New improvements valued at \$646,340 contributed largely to the increase of \$738,912 in the current assessment roll, and the amount represents an increase of approximately \$18,000 in potential tax collections.

Missing Officer May Be Prisoner

Word that Lieut. A. O. Newberry, officially listed as missing following the Sicilian campaign, might be a prisoner of war has been received by his wife, 237 Wildwood Avenue.

Capt. Howard Mitchell, his commanding officer, wrote in a letter to Mrs. Newberry that her husband had made a lone motorcycle patrol at his own suggestion and failed to return. It should have been reported, Capt. Mitchell wrote, suggesting that the young officer had been taken a prisoner of war.

If that is the case, Capt. Mitchell wrote, he should be well taken care of, as it has been found the Germans on that front treated Canadian wounded and prisoners very well. Lieut. Newberry served with the Saskatchewan Light Infantry.

Arrives Overseas



Who has arrived overseas, according to word received by his family at Otter Point. Born at Otter Point 21 years ago, he joined the R.C.A. in 1940 and has been stationed at various points in Vancouver Island, going later to Ontario and Nova Scotia.

Oak Bay Building Shows Increase

Seventeen building permits valued at \$23,785 were issued in Oak Bay last month, compared with seven for \$6,550 during September, 1942. Since the beginning of the year, the municipality has granted ninety-eight permits for \$1,674,495, as against 111 permits valued at \$1,894,441 from January to September in 1942.

Two dwellings to cost \$6,500 were commenced last month. Six valued at \$23,250 were constructed in September, 1942. Since January 2, a total of twenty-six houses valued at \$85,500 have been erected, compared with forty-nine houses costing \$170,500 during the corresponding eight months in 1942.

Equimult granted 115 permits valued at \$394,235 last month. Of the 104 dwellings to cost a total of \$299,800, 100 were commenced in the name of Wartime Housing, Limited, for shipyard employees.

Musical Programme At Lions' Luncheon

A musical programme arranged by Frank Tipton, Lions Club pianist and musical director, was presented at the regular club luncheon, in Spencer's dining-room on Thursday noon, with Dr. G. C. Carl presiding.

Solo selections were sung by Mrs. Gwen Brown and Arthur Stringer, of the Metropolitan Church Choir. They were accompanied by Mrs. William Milburn, who led community singing by the members.

Business Leader to Address C.M.A. Here

L. L. Lang, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association for the 1942-43 term, will address a meeting of the Victoria branch of the association at the Empress Hotel on October 5 at 7 p.m. Mr. Lang is president of J. A. president, Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada; director, Canadian Pacific Railway; and director, Bank of Montreal.

Revision Court Set

Mayor Andrew McGavin and Aldermen W. B. Davies, W. L. Morgan, A. Willis and J. A. Worthington, members of the court of revision on the assessment roll, will sit in the City Council Chamber at 10 o'clock Friday morning to consider nine appeals against property assessments. Mayor McGavin stated on Thursday that the list was the smallest before a revision court in the history of the city.

City and District

Inspection Trip—Maj.-Gen. J. P. Mackenzie, D.S.O., Inspector-general, western Canada, Edmonton, is in the city on a routine inspection of West Coast military area.

New Roof—The Pacific Sheet Metal Works, Ltd., secured an \$1,800 city building permit on Thursday to construct a new tar-and-gravel roof on the Northwest Creamery, Ltd., at 1015 Yates Street.

Seek Grant—In a letter received at the City Hall on Thursday, the Victor Schools Band committee asked for a grant to purchase musical instruments and create a library of music.

Is Remanded—Harriet O'Connor was charged on Thursday in city police court with attempting to purchase liquor on September 23 with a permit belonging to another person. She was remanded without plea to next Monday morning for trial.

Traffic Cases—Two motorists were each fined \$15 on Thursday in city police court for exceeding the speed limit of 30 miles per hour. Four others each paid \$250 fines for various infractions of car parking regulations.

On Visit Here—T. E. Chester, Western representative of Canadian Pacific Hotels, is in the city in the course of a regular inspection tour. He is registered at the Empress Hotel and will go to Vancouver in a few days.

Two Charged—Albert Hurtubise and Sutor-Lennie, naval ratings, were charged in city police court on Thursday with unlawfully and wilfully obstructing Constable Richard Supitt, at Yates and Blanshard Streets Wednesday night. They were remanded to next Monday for trial.

Groceries Stolen—Mrs. T. Kraus, 1717 Blanshard Street, reported to police at 10:15 Thursday morning that a parcel containing five pounds of sugar, three pounds of meat, one pound of butter and two pounds of plums had been stolen from her child's perambulator left at Douglas Street and Pandora Avenue.

Committee Named—Chairman of the Oak Bay council committee on postwar rehabilitation, to act with a similar committee of the city, is Councillor R. Angus. It was announced on Thursday. Others on the committee are Reeve W. L. Woodhouse, and Councillors P. A. Moir and W. M. Walker.

Found Asleep—A naval rating who had broken into the Northern Junk Company at 1409 Store Street was found asleep on the premises at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Constable Samuel McKenzie found that nothing was missing, and learned the proprietor did not wish to lay a charge. The R.C.N. Shore Patrol removed the naval rating to barracks.

Care Damaged—Automobiles driven by Stanley Gjukick, Macaulay Point, and Cyril Gardiner, 846 Equimult Road, sustained considerable damage early Thursday morning when they collided on Johnson Street west of the bridge. Kathleen Kelly, R.C.A.F. W.D., a passenger in the Gardiner car, was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital for a cut on her forehead received in the crash.

Rental Control—Charles Michael was fined \$50 and \$250 costs on Thursday in city police court for collecting a rental for premises at 2636 Blanshard Street between April 29 and June 15 in excess of the maximum fixed by wartime leasehold regulations of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. J. B. Clearhouse, R.C.A., appeared for the prosecution.

Case Concluded—Trial of Ernest H. M. Foote on a charge of contravening Wartime Leasehold Regulations in respect of premises at 2563 Vancouver Street was concluded on Thursday in city police court, and judgment reserved until October 6. Evidence showed the basic rental of \$27.50 in 1940 had subsequently been raised to \$32.50. Capt. H. W. R. Moore represented Foote.

Prison Term—Frank P. Ellis, a merchant seaman, was sentenced to serve one month in prison at hard labor in city police court on Thursday for assaulting Jack Willings at 906 Government Street last Monday night. Evidence of Constable Robert Davidson showed that Ellis knocked Willings through a window and then threw him to the sidewalk, causing injuries that necessitated hospital treatment.

Judgment Held—Magistrate Henry C. Hall reserved judgment on Thursday in city police court until October 6 in the case of William George Foote, charged with driving in a manner dangerous to the public. Evidence of Constable Stanley Huscock showed that the defendant's automobile had knocked down a pedestrian in attempting to avoid a signal car. Foote was represented by Stuart Henderson.

Announcements

Pro Patria W.A. Canadian Legion, B.E.L. will hold their bazaar at 2:30 on Saturday afternoon, October 3, at Coast Hardware Hall, on Douglas. All sister auxiliaries cordially invited.

Thanks for the Tag Day. The Women's Auxiliary to the R.C.A.M.C. wish to thank the public for their generous response on their tag day, Saturday, September 18; also thanks to all the taggers who helped to make it a success.

Come to Rummage Sale tomorrow for bargains. No sales today, except from window. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 737 Pandora.

Flower Show, today, noon to 9:30, All Saturday, Crystal Garden.

R.C.A.F. Navigator



FREDERIC CUTHBERT HARMAN

Son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harman, Ten Mile Point, Victoria, who won his navigator's badge at No. 2 A.O.S., Edmonton, recently. His brother, G. N. Harman, is a member of the R.C.A.F., stationed at Winnipeg, and his sister, Zoe, is a nurse with the South African Army, stationed at Johannesburg.

Fall Assizes Will Start Here Monday

Mr. Justice James M. Coady is expected to preside over the Fall Assizes which will commence in the Courthouse at 11 o'clock next Monday morning. Sheriff Duncan MacBride has requested all persons summoned for jury duty to be in their seats before the opening hour.

W. H. M. Haldane, Crown prosecutor, stated on Thursday that Frank Schlosser, James O. Crozier, Arthur Walton and James Scouler would be tried Monday on a charge of breaking, entering and committing theft in the Victoria Pharmacy at 1001 Government Street on August 6.

Court of Appeal

The case of Stephen et al. vs. Stewart et al., dealing with differences amongst members of Local No. 1 of the Boilermakers' Union, will continue this afternoon.

The Chief Justice announced yesterday that judgments would be rendered this morning in Rex vs. McLellan, Rex vs. Ellis and Rex vs. Hober.

Peremptory list: Rex vs. Bampton; Rex vs. Hadden; Stephen et al. vs. Stewart et al.—at bar.

Local Druggists Go Over the Top In Stamp Drive

Victoria druggists zoomed over the top in their War Savings Stamps drive on Thursday, with an unprecedented last-day rush that surpassed all expectations.

Drug store proprietors in the city and outside districts reported a brisk sale throughout the day, and publicly expressed their thanks for the support given the drive by their patrons.

Dick Jenkin, chairman of the Victoria committee, was most enthusiastic on Thursday and delighted with the success of the campaign. Final figures will be available today, Mr. Jenkin stated.

Penitentiary Term Imposed by Judge

James Ross and James Edmond Denman, represented by Patrick J. Sinnott, were found guilty in County Court by Judge H. H. Shandley, Thursday, on a charge of stealing a \$115 electric seal fur coat from David Spencer, Ltd., on September 7. Joseph McKenna appeared for the Crown.

Ross was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary. Denman received a suspended sentence of six months, and was also ordered to post a bond of \$500 to be of good behavior for six months. Both accused claimed they had been intoxicated at the time of the theft and not in control of their actions. Ross admitted a number of previous convictions.

Liquor Announcement Will Be Made Today

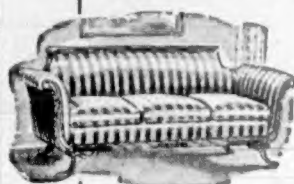
Announcement of October liquor quotas for individual permit holders will be made today, W. F. Kennedy, Liquor Board chairman, stated yesterday.

The board chairman, while making no definite statement, expressed the hope that a slight increase may be in the offing, but reiterated that such action must await the report of available supplies between permit holders and licensees.

In Saanich Court

Paul McGarry, Park Drive, Albert Head, a shipyard worker, was fined \$20 on Thursday in Saanich Police Court when he was found guilty of driving to the common danger. Laying of the charge followed a mishap on the Gorge Road in which the

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Mead's Casein	1.00
Mead's Sobee	1.35
Horlick's Malted Milk—1/2 lb.	.48c
Horlick's Malted Milk—1 lb.	.97c
Horlick's Malted Milk—5 lb.	3.49
Allenbury's Barley Flour—1 lb.	.39c

● BABY MEDICAL NEEDS

Reid's Milk of Magnesia—8 oz.	25c
Reid's Baby Cough Syrup	25c
Cunningham's Pure Boracic Acid	10c
White Vaseline—Tube	10c and 25c
Baby's Own Tablets	23c
Vi-Synal Vitamin for Babies	2.25
Mead's Oleum Percomorphum—10 cc	75c 50 cc 3.00
Ayerst 10D Cod Liver Oil—4 oz.	67c 16 oz. 1.69
Drisdol Liquid—5 cc	65c 50 cc 3.50
Parke-Davis Halibut Oil	50c and 1.75

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J. & J. Baby Powder	28c
Baby's Own Soap	10c or 3 for 29c
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Mennen's Baby Oil	59c
Mennen's Baby Talcum	29c
J. & J. Baby Cream	30c
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B. & B. Cotton Picker	25c
Z.B.T. Talcum	28c

● BABY SUNDRIES

Han-D-Swabs—Cotton tipped	15c
Santro Teething Ring	20c
Tuffy Feeding Bottle—8 oz.	22c
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Waterproof Crib Sheets	1.50
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Size 322's, dozen 22¢
Size 150's, dozen 59¢

LEMONS: SUNKIST. Large size, juicy, dozen 35¢

PANCAKE FLOUR: AUNT JEMIMA. A real treat for your Sunday morning breakfast; 20-oz. packet 17¢

PILCHARDS: PARAMOUNT. Fancy Canadian, tender eating pilchards; 16-oz. tins 14¢

CUT MACARONI: CANADIAN BEAUTY. In the large, economical paper bag; 5-lb. bag 32¢

FLOUR: ALL PURPOSE, ROBIN HOOD, FIVE ROSES; 49-lb. sack 1.45

ORANGE MARMALADE: AYLMEY. Serve with crisp, well-browned toast; 24-oz. jar 14 coupons 29¢

SCRATCH REMOVER: OLD ENGLISH. Makes furniture look new; 4-oz. bottle 21¢

LAUNDRY STARCH: IVORY GLOSS. For extra stiffness in collars, cuffs, etc.; packets 2 for 25¢

WAX PAPER: MARVO. Keeps lunches fresh longer; 40-foot roll 9¢

PERFEX BLEACH. The perfect bleach and sterilizer; 16-oz. bottle 15¢

SUNLIGHT SOAP. Extra soapiness for that extra dirt; cakes 4 for 23¢

TOILET SOAP: PALMOLIVE and CASHMERE BOUQUET. Rich, cleansing lather; cakes 3 for 17¢

SOAP FLAKES: MAPLE LEAF. For washing fine woolsens and rayons; large packets 18¢

FLOOR WAX: O-CEDAR. For a highly-polished, long-lasting finish; 1-lb. tin 39¢

TOILET TISSUE: SNOW WHITE; large rolls 4 for 25¢

Butter

HUDSONIA. First Grade; 40¢
3 lbs. \$1.18
(1/2 lb. per coupon)

Lard

SWIFT'S. For tender, flaky pastries; 1-lb. carton 16¢

CARRY AND SAVE

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FOR SALE. 1938 CASH. PONTIAC coupe. See at Hudson's Bay, 1001 Douglas Street, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. If you see it, you will buy it.

LOST—WHITE GOLD BULOVA LADY'S wrist watch. E. 2889.

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RUMMAGE SALE AT 120 FORT STREET. Saturday, October 2, starting 9 a.m.

FOR SALE—HARLEY-DAVIDSON motorcycle. Excellent condition. 1940 model. 100 miles per gallon. Good tires. \$180. 515 Fort Street, or 1039 Fairmount.

WESTERFIELD TABLE AND CHAIRS. Beautiful set for sale. Phone 5 2116.

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FOR SALE—1937 CHRYSLER ROYAL sedan. Excellent condition. Overhaul. Tires good. All good parts. Also new. 6-cylinder. Radio. Heater. E. 2822.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 (AP).—Edwin C. Wilson, American Ambassador to Panama, was appointed by President Roosevelt Tuesday to be representative of the United States on the Allies Mediterranean Commission.

Flower Show, today, noon to 9:30. All Saturday, Crystal Garden.

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Support the P.T.A. Fair and Dance

Plan to attend this sale after Friday, October 8, from 2:30 until midnight. Crystal Garden. Lower Ballroom. Proceeds for educational projects.

Japanese Have A New Fighter

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 (AP).—The Japanese have come up with a new fighter plane more formidable than the Zero, Senator Ralph Brewster (Rep., Me.) disclosed today, and the United States may have to send more "Big League" battlers to cope with them.

Brewster, one of three United States senators just back from a 40,000-mile swing over the world's battlefronts in an army plane, told an interviewer that the new "super-Zero" apparently was just getting into production because only a few had been sighted.

But those few, he indicated, had proved tough. He said the ratio of American victories over losses, which ran as high as 4 to 1, has begun to drop.

What Today Means

LIBRA

If October 1 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m., from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m., and from 7:45 to 8:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:45 to 9:45 a.m., from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

You had better realize individual tastes differ and what appeals to some relative or friend may not appeal to you, so it might be well to think twice before accepting suggestions today. It may be wise to figure out your own requirements before thinking of anyone else's today. You are apt to discover in time that there are many occasions when friends will be decidedly glib with advice which, if it was handed to them, they might be very reluctant to accept. It will be good judgment to commit yourself to do nothing that you may later on regret, especially if it is somebody's idea for you to play the part of the good Samaritan—at your own expense. Married and engaged couples, as well as sweethearts, had better analyze each other's mood today if they would avoid rubbing each other the wrong way and creating very discordant conditions.

If a woman and October 1 is your birthday, there may be times when it will be most advisable for you to learn to master your feelings and not to display them too freely. Only through self-control can you maintain the degree of popularity needed to make you a great success in and outside of your home. You are capable of dominating any situation if you will only learn in advance the ways and means you should employ to enable you to do so. Through enthusiasm you can stimulate the efforts of others and accomplish a remarkable amount of good. Through activity as a social welfare, political, reform or religious worker, as well as a teacher, lecturer, professional entertainer, news reporter, writer, actress, sales manager, broker, or participant in some essential war-time occupation, you may find yourself in a very important position with an income surpassing your most optimistic expectations. With

Cupid's aid your matrimonial choice is apt to turn out to be an excellent one.

The child born on October 1 has generally a heart of gold, a changeable disposition—depending on how it feels and the treatment others accord it, and a retentive memory. An insatiable desire to be the centre of attention will always stimulate this youngster to try to put its best foot forward in whatever activity it engages. Hard work, rather than luck, generally results in Libra's children taking their place among the successful men and women of their generation.

If a man and October 1 is your natal day, you may have a propensity to leave things until the last moment and then wearing yourself out getting them done. The more systematic you become the easier life will be for you. As a composer, author, journalist, politician, business executive, actor, sales representative, scientist, aviator, soldier, sailor, or in a profession requiring dexterity of the hands and quick thinking, you ought to be most successful.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Would Open Great Lakes

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 (AP).—Authorization for construction of the St. Lawrence waterway to open the Great Lakes to Atlantic Ocean traffic and develop water power resources has been proposed in bills by Senator George Aiken (Rep., Vt.) and Rep. William Pittenger (Rep., Minn.).

Aiken said there was little hope of passage of the measures during the war, despite support of the United States War, Navy, Commerce, Agriculture and State Departments.

The development would cost about \$429,000,000, of which Canada would pay \$144,000,000, Aiken said. The St. Lawrence would be deepened to 27 feet, enough draft for seagoing vessels. The power plants would be constructed by the State of New York, but the bill would require the state to sell excess power to adjoining states. The present plans call for development of 2,225,000 horsepower, Aiken said.

Move Harvesters

WINNIPEG, Sept. 30 (CP).—D. M. McLean, director of Manitoba Farm Service, has announced here that civilians and soldiers from Eastern Canada who have completed harvesting operations in Manitoba have been moved to Saskatchewan and Alberta. More than 200 men have been sent to Calgary and Edmonton, Mr. McLean said, and another 50 will leave here shortly.

MOOSE JAW, Sask., Sept. 30 (CP).—A plant which will process glacial rocks into insulating wool is under construction near here and will probably start actual production early in November. The plant is located on a glacial deposit which includes much limestone and quartz rock.

Wants Frankness

PEARL HARBOR, Sept. 30 (AP).—Greater frankness in war news presentation today will prevent cynicism and lack of confidence in leaders later, United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., (Republican, Massachusetts), said in an interview after war front visits.

He will report to Congress that "our fighting men are mad because of the false optimism of our news."

"It's a general condition of our news reporting, our communiques, our radio commentaries and our desk writers," he said.

He noted that censors perhaps overlook the fact that, unlike the last war, the news they censor gets back by radio within 24 hours to the men who make the news, who are wounded and who have fallen comrades.

RESERVED TO CROWN

OTTAWA, Sept. 30 (CP).—The Federal Government has passed orders in council reserving to the Crown in right of Canada all radio-active substances which may occur in minerals found in the Yukon and Northwest Territories. The orders were published today in Canadian War Orders and Regulations.

According to Culbertson

When your partner, after nothing but a series of passes by your side, doubles a three no trump contract to which you must make the opening lead, he is not merely announcing a good hand with which he expects to take at least five tricks. His double under the circumstances cited has a special connotation: He wants you to make a certain lead. Usually the contract can be defeated if you are able to define his wishes, whereas an ordinary "fourth-best" lead, based on your own holding, would be ineffectual.

In some circles there is a tradition that the double of three no trump calls for the lead of the first suit bid by the about-to-be-dummy; in other circles, it is the second-bid suit. Neither of these interpretations is entirely logical; the simple fact is that the opening leader must figure out from the bidding and from his own holding, what his partner expects him to lead. Above everything else, however, the opening leader should make a valiant effort to "hit" his partner's hand; he should not attempt to make his own cards good unless he has an extraordinary holding. Consider this case:

South, dealer.			
Both sides vulnerable.			
NORTH			
♠ A 10 5 3			
♥ J 6			
♦ Q J 9 7 4			
♣ J 8			
WEST			
♠ K 6 4			
♥ 7			
♦ K 10 5 3 2			
♣ 7 5 3 2			
EAST			
♠ Q J 8 2			
♥ 10 9 8 3 2			
♦ —			
♣ A K 9			
SOUTH			
♠ 7			
♥ A K Q 5 4			
♦ A 8 6			
♣ Q 10 8 4			
The bidding:			
South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Double
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

North's three diamond bid was atrocious—but with West's kind co-operation it turned out well. Instead of trying to make a lead in accordance with East's double, West blithely led his fourth highest diamond. Declarer promptly established the diamond suit and, although West shifted to a spade, poor East had to make so many discards that he had to give up a stopper in

either hearts, clubs or spades and, as a consequence, declarer made his contract with an extra trick.

If West had given even reasonable thought and consideration to East's double, he would have opened a spade, because it was perfectly obvious that East wanted one of dummy's suits led and, with West holding five diamonds to the K-10, it could scarcely be diamonds. A low spade lead would have defeated the contract at least two tricks.

Star of Silent Films Is Dead

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 30 (AP).—Fried Brunette, 32, blue-eyed star of silent films, died Tuesday after a long illness. She was best known for her roles with Jack Holt, Mitchell Lewis and other leading men of the 1918-28 era. A native of Boston, she was the former wife of John E. Kley. Her last screen appearance was in 1939.

NO CARD OF HIS OWN

VANCOUVER, Sept. 30 (CP).—Alleged to have had three registration cards, none of them his own, W. W. Walker was fined \$50 or three months—in police court here, on the charge of not having a registration card.



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Send Christmas Mail Overseas Early

The annual cry to "mail early" is being made by postal authorities in regard to Christmas mail. They urge that mail being sent to the troops overseas, in particular, be sent in good time because, in many instances, the men are so much farther from home this year.

The very latest that mail should be sent to reach the men overseas by Christmas is Nov. 1, and, if possible, during October. The deadline date has been advanced 10 days over last year.

Citizens are urged not to wait until the deadline to mail parcels because this will mean a congestion and the possibility that shipping space cannot be found for all the parcels. For the same reason every parcel is urged to be sent down on the size and weight of parcels, so that all mail can be sent in time for Christmas.

Last year, despite the urgent pleas of the Postoffice Department, more than 8,500,000 pounds of parcels were received too late for delivery by Christmas.

Reprinted from The Victoria Times-Star, of September 21st, 1942.

THIS Christmas gifts from home to loved ones in the services overseas will be doubly precious . . . doubly needed.

The tempo of war actions is being speeded up. They, away from home, need letters and gifts. Now is the time to select and mail them . . . and help ease the strain on shipping facilities. By mailing now there's more certainty that gifts will be received to give that extra "fin" and happiness at Christmas time.

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